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Arizona Water Initiative Northwest Basins Planning Area Stakeholders Meeting



Agenda

1. Welcome & Introductions
2. Planning Area Information Updates
3. Planning Area Water Demand
Updates
4. Water Conservation Presentation
5. General Comment
6. Closing Remarks

Arizona Water Initiative Update

❖ Governor's Water Augmentation Council (GWAC)

- ❖ **GWAC:** last met on April 7, 2017
 - ❖ Provided Planning Area Update to the GWAC
 - ❖ Stakeholders from the West Basin Planning Area provided feedback to the GWAC regarding their concerns for agricultural water use in rural areas outside of Active Management Areas.
 - ❖ Review of the Annual Report
 - ❖ [2017 Draft Annual Report Link](#)

❖ Governor's Water Augmentation Council - Committees

- ❖ **Recycled Water Committee:** last met on March 29, 2017
 - ❖ Discussed a proposed managed recharge project in Tucson
- ❖ **Long Term Water Augmentation Committee:** last met on May 3, 2017
 - ❖ Stakeholders from West Basins Planning Area provided feedback to the committee
- ❖ **Desalination Committee:** last met on May 15, 2017
 - ❖ Discussed theoretical timeline for a desalination project
- ❖ **Finance Committee:** met on May 15, 2017
 - ❖ Discussed funding options for long term water augmentation projects

Arizona Water Initiative Update

❖ Cochise Planning Area

- ❖ Last met at the end of 2016
- ❖ Discussed finalized industrial water demand and the Willcox Basin Groundwater Conservation Area concept

❖ West Basins Planning Area

- ❖ Last met on April 25, 2016
- ❖ Discussed the recent USGS Crop Survey and updated Agricultural Water Data (provisional 2016 data)
- ❖ Presented Initiating Procedures to Designating an Active Management Area via petition
 - ❖ The AMA designation presentation was specifically requested by stakeholders from the West Basins Planning Area

Arizona Water Initiative Update

❖ **Northwest Basins Planning Area**

❖ Held two meetings on February 28, 2017

❖ 1st meeting discussed:

❖ Municipal Water Demand Update

❖ Industrial Water Demand Update

❖ Agricultural Water Demand Update

❖ Received Stakeholder feedback regarding water demands and will be reflected in the data presented today

❖ 2nd meeting discussed:

❖ Response to Stakeholder Request from previous meetings

❖ Presented the Agricultural Water Demand Update

❖ General comment

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GOVERNOR DOUG DUCEY'S ARIZONA WATER INITIATIVE

On October 5, 2015, Governor Ducey announced his water planning initiative for the state. The Arizona Water Initiative is based off of and continues the work published in the [2014 Strategic Vision for Water Supply Sustainability Report](#), which identified key priorities, timelines and action items needed to maintain sustainable water supplies for Arizona's future. The Arizona Water Initiative was implemented with the signing of Executive Order 2015-13 on December 16, 2015. Through this initiative, the Arizona Department of Water Resources (ADWR) will work closely with key stakeholders statewide on two parallel tracks.

[Annual Report \(2016\)](#)
[Arizona Water Initiative Fact Sheet](#)

PLANNING AREA PROCESS

Through the Planning Area Process, ADWR will identify and prioritize the 22 planning areas identified in the Strategic Vision report, beginning with rural areas

GOVERNOR'S WATER AUGMENTATION COUNCIL

The Council will investigate the long-term augmentation strategies for the State, as well as explore additional water conservation opportunities, identify infrastructure



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PLANNING AREA PROCESS

The goal is to address all 22 planning areas within the next 5 years. In year one, ADWR is working with the Northwest Basins, West Basins, and Cochise planning areas. ADWR is currently working on developing a schedule for remaining planning areas.

Click on highlighted area to see meetings for that planning area





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NORTHWEST BASINS PLANNING AREA

PREVIOUS PLANNING DOCUMENTS

[ADWR Director's Response to the Mohave County Board of Supervisor's INA Request for the Hualapai Valley Groundwater Basin](#)

[ADWR Director's Response to the Mohave County Board of Supervisor's INA Request for the Sacramento Valley Groundwater Basin](#)



Northwest Basins Meeting

February 28, 2017 - 4:00pm to 6:00pm

Mohave Community College Neal Campus

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Northwest Basins Meeting

February 28, 2017 - 11:00am to 12:30pm

Mohave Community College Neal Campus

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[Municipal Water Demand Presentation](#)

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Northwest Basins Meeting

December 6, 2016 - 4:00pm to 6:00pm

Mohave Community College Neal Campus

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Northwest Basins Meeting

September 8, 2016 - 4:00pm to 7:00pm

Medical Professional Center of Kingman

Northwest Basins Meeting

June 29, 2016 - 5:00pm to 7:00pm

Mohave County Administration Building

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